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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR HARDWARE REGISTRATION IN A NETWORK DEVICE

Enclosed are:

- (X) Specification in thirty-seven (37) pages, including abstract and forty-five (45) claims.
- (X) Appendix I (2 pages/pages 38-39).
- (X) Seven (7) Figures on seven (7) sheet(s) of informal drawings.
- (X) Request for Non-Publication pursuant to U.S.C. 122(b) (1 page).
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| Total Claims   | 45 - 20 =       | 25 ×            | \$18.00  | \$450.00   |
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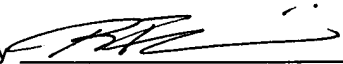
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to U.S.C. 122(b), applicant requests that the subject application not be published.

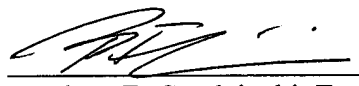
Additionally, at this time Applicant certifies that the invention disclosed in the application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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